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An Evening Echo.

When angry, count ten before you speak; if very angry, a hundred.—THOMAS JEFFERSON.

The cat is out of the bag. The West Union Record intimates strongly that the reason Millard F. Snider takes such a decided stand against Senator Watson is that he labors under the belief that Senator Watson did not come to his aid when he tried to break into the office of prosecuting attorney of this county. It is again the old saying that there is method in madness.

More "Lulling" Wanted.

In asking the people of West Virginia to down the Democratic state machine, the West Union Record, Senator George W. Bland's newspaper, says:

"Do shake off the lethargy and indifference which seem to have taken hold of the people of West Virginia. They have been lulled to sleep by bonuses and gifts from the big thieving corporations."

John Cornwell, alleges that Senator Bland, an employee of the largest corporation known in this country, soon after his election made his company come across with an increase of salary by virtue of the position to which he had been elected. It is evident from what Senator Bland's newspaper says as quoted that he feels that he should be "lulled" still more.

Warning to Parents.

From an Ohio city comes the report of the death of a child, caused by strychnine pills, which had been prescribed for a member of the family. The child discovered the box of pills and ate sufficient of the drug to cause its death a short time after it was discovered lying on the floor with the box containing the remaining pills, beside it. The regrettable case calls forth the following timely comment from the Huntington Advertiser:

"From time to time cases of this nature are reported in the press, and yet the lesson is undecided. It is usually necessary for every family to have in the house medicines, some entirely harmless and others dangerous to those unacquainted with their properties and use. Even the most simple remedies may be injurious and even fatal to a child, and it should be the duty of every parent to see that no drugs are left where they may be reached by the children. An ounce of prevention in this direction may result in the saving of much sorrow."

Cheap Ventriloquism.

It is the candid opinion of Senator Bland's newspaper that he should have answered John J. Cornwell's questions. Senator Bland says:

"In our opinion we think Senator Bland should have answered the questions." Senator Bland's newspaper, however, fails to brand Senator Bland as a political dodger, a man up a tree, and the only thing it does do to help Senator Bland out of an apparent embarrassment is an indefinite promise that he will answer them some of these days. The newspaper that Senator Bland owns should advise the senator never to put off until tomorrow what he can do today.

The fact that Senator Bland's newspaper states that it thinks that he ought to have answered the questions is an admission that his reply was impotent.

All in all, it is a pretty fair Punch and Judy show to see Senator Bland's newspaper telling him what it thinks he ought to have done. Perhaps, the actors in the little outside tent performance think the public will stand for such cheap ventriloquism.

Human Weaklings.

A St. Louis man of wealth and prominence kills himself because he cannot longer endure poor health; a Terre Haute man of good standing attempts suicide because he has lost his money; an Illinois man shoots himself because he is "tired of life;" a

New York woman throws herself because her husband has deserted her, and so they go in the record of a day, says the Indianapolis Star—derelicts along life's pathway, men and women unequal to the conditions in which they find themselves.

One characteristic, it may be assumed, is common to all persons who take their own lives—a selfish concentration upon themselves. No one, as they view it, ever suffered such wrongs as they, was ever so discriminated against by fate, was ever called upon to endure such pain. They have no perspective; they cannot see beyond their own thresholds; they magnify their own importance and their own trials and fail to comprehend that others have equal and even greater trials and sufferings. Few, indeed, are the people who get through life without bitter discipline of soul and body, but those who make the most outcry over the discipline are not often those upon whom the heaviest trials fall, the reverse being commonly the case.

The Hampshire Peach.

The following interesting story of the development of the peach industry in Hampshire county, with sensible suggestions as to the possibility of profitable fruit culture elsewhere among the West Virginia hills, is told by the Parkersburg Dispatch-News. Hampshire county has 1,200,000 producing peach trees, and a half million more that are on their way to the bearing age. Fortunes are earned each year from its peach orchards. The Hampshire peach is an aristocrat. It demands and gets a premium in city markets. A comparatively few years ago, peach growing in that county amounted to practically nothing. Now, it is Hampshire's chief business and the source of its greatest wealth and fame.

How Hampshire came to be a great peach growing county is interesting. It started from a little thing. A man, by name J. J. Roderick, owed \$850 to one I. H. Pancake, keeper of a general store. Roderick was in too deep to pay, but he was an honest man, and he offered his creditor all he had in the world, which was an old hill farm four miles distant from Romney. Mr. Pancake thought so highly of the offer that he at first refused it, saying that he would rather lose the account than to have to pay taxes on the farm. The debtor said that it was the best he could do and he would send a deed for the farm. In the meantime, the storekeeper took a trip through the peach belt of Virginia, the Carolinas, Georgia and East Tennessee, and the soil and climate and topographical conditions were so similar to those in his own county that he was much impressed, and made up his mind to experiment with the peach business. When he arrived home he found Roderick's deed to the old, limestone-bearing hillside farm. It was just to his purpose, and he proceeded to set out a number of peach trees, adding to them each year. The third year he harvested 1,700 baskets of fine peaches. They were superior in every respect. These he sent to eastern markets, asking from the commission men that they remit only what they thought the peaches were worth. He received satisfactory remittances, and letters complimenting the size and quality of the peaches. The following year, the commission men sent their representatives to him to purchase his entire crop. They said it was the best peach that ever came to the markets.

From that small beginning grew Hampshire county's immense peach industry. Hillside acreage, long of no value, jumped from \$500 to \$1,000 an acre when cleared. Eventually, the industry grew to such large proportions, that it became necessary to organize and incorporate stock companies, and many of the great orchards are so owned and conducted. One company, capitalized at \$100,000, has never paid less than 40 per cent. dividends annually since its organization.

Surrounding counties have followed in the wake of Hampshire, and are great peach growing sections, but Hampshire leads them all. What has been done in Hampshire and its surrounding counties, can be done almost anywhere else in West Virginia not only with peach trees, but with apples and other fruit. Every condition to be found in the state favors fruit production. Here in Wood county we have already made a start. We know of two orchards not very distant from this city, whose owners estimate will produce \$5,000 and \$9,000 crops respectively this year. That isn't bad. Closeness to markets, the right soil and climatic conditions—these are the chief things needed in fruit culture. And West Virginia is right there with the goods.

BUYS STORE.

GRAFTON, Sept. 8.—W. L. Doak former chief of police of Grafton and former street commissioner also, has purchased the Rackett store of Hiram Gaines on Main street and has taken possession.

CONTRACT

Is Awarded for the Grading the Extension of a Railroad.

MORGANTOWN, Sept. 8.—The contract for grading the extension of the Monongahela railroad from its present terminus to the West Virginia-Pennsylvania state line has been awarded to McMenamin and Sims, who are also the contractors for the sub-structure of the new bridge across the Monongahela river at New Geneva.

The bids for the grading of the Monongahela extension were all submitted with the understanding that the work was to start immediately upon the award of the contract and to be completed by December 1. The grading on the road will be very light and only a short time will be required. It is estimated that there are only between 400,000 and 500,000 yards of dirt to be removed.

Work on the Buckhannon and Northern is progressing rapidly and has reached such a stage that some of the resident engineers, of whom there are four, are being laid off. Major Brady, states that trains will be running by January 1.

COUNTY COURT MONDAY.

The regular September term of the county court will open here Monday morning.

NO. 7681.

Report of the condition of THE UNION NATIONAL BANK, at Clarksburg, in the State of West Virginia, at the close of business September 1st, 1911.

Resources.	
Loans and discounts.....	\$1,981,599.60
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured.....	4,715.61
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation.....	300,000.00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds.....	8,500.00
Bonds, securities, etc.....	64,063.2
Banking House, Furniture and Fixture.....	50,000.00
Due from National banks (not reserve agents).....	70,113.7
Due from State and Private Banks and Bankers, Trust Companies, and Savings Banks.....	31,859.56
Due from approved Reserve agents.....	480,661.38
Checks and other cash items.....	5,963.78
Exchange for Clearing House.....	4,736.29
Notes of Other National Banks.....	325.00
Fractional Paper Currency, Nickels and Cents.....	610.68
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, Viz:	
Specie.....	\$116,001.35
Legal-tender notes.....	5,000.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation).....	15,000.00
Total.....	\$3,139,158.27
Liabilities.	
Capital stock paid in.....	300,000.00
Surplus Fund.....	128,000.00
Undivided Profits, less Expenses and Taxes paid.....	11,716.48
National Bank Notes outstanding.....	300,000.00
Due to other National Banks.....	22,156.26
Due to State and Private Banks and Bankers.....	219,485.05
Due to Trust Companies and Savings Banks.....	9,781.26
Due to approved Reserve agents.....	378.27
Dividends unpaid.....	665.00
Individual deposits subject to check.....	1,488,497.58
Time certificates of deposit.....	626,575.20
Certified checks.....	814.75
Cashier's checks outstanding.....	1,188.44
Bonds borrowed.....	30,000.00
Total.....	\$3,139,158.27

State of West Virginia, County of Harrison, ss:

I, S. H. White, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

S. H. WHITE, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of September, 1911.

B. P. HOLDEN, Notary Public.

My commission expires September 23, 1919.

Correct—Attest:

CHAS. S. SMILEY, J. F. ALLEN, JOHN W. DAVIS, Directors.

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Cash.....	\$ 618,004.60
Mortgages.....	539,636.60
Realty.....	1,945,500.00
Personalty.....	62,208,300.71
Total.....	\$ 65,311,451.31

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